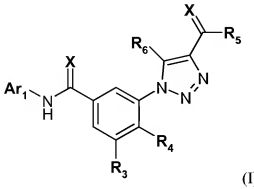
Current Listing of Claims

Claim 1 (currently amended): A compound of the formula (I)



(I);

wherein:

Ar_1 is carbocycle ~~optionally~~ substituted with one R_1, and wherein Ar_1 is independently substituted with two R_2 groups;

R_1 is ~~hydrogen,~~ NO_2, $-N(R^c)_2$, J-C(O)- $N(R^c)$- or J-$S(O)_m$- $N(R^c)$-

m is 0,1 or 2

and wherein R^c is chosen from hydrogen or C1-5 alkyl;

J is chosen from C1-10 alkyl and carbocycle each optionally substituted by R^b;

R_2 is chosen from C1-6 alkyl or C3-7 cycloalkyl which may optionally be partially or fully halogenated, C1-4 acyl, aroyl, C1-4 alkoxy, which may optionally be partially or fully halogenated, halogen, C1-6 alkoxycarbonyl, carbocyclesulfonyl and $-SO_2-CF_3$;

R_3, R_4, R_6, R_7 and R_8 are each independently chosen from hydrogen, halogen, C1-5 alkyl, C1-5 alkoxy, C1-5 alkylC1-5 alkoxy, hydroxy, hydroxy C1-5 alkyl or amino optionally mono- or di-substituted by C1-5 alkyl, aryl or aryl C1-5 alkyl;

R_5 is chosen from a bond, -O-, -S-, -N<, -NH-, C(O) , a linear chain chosen from -$NH(CR_7R_8)_n$-, -$(CR_7R_8)_n$-, -$O(CR_7R_8)_n$-, -$C(O)$-$O(CR_7R_8)_n$-, -$S(CR_7R_8)_n$-, $C(O)(CR_7R_8)_n$- and -$C(O)NH(CR_7R_8)_n$-, wherein n is 1-5 and each of the aforementioned R_5 is further substituted by R^a,
or R_5 is ~~a ring system chosen from~~ aryl ~~, heteroaryl or heterocyclyl each~~ optionally substituted by R^a;

R^a and R^b are each independently chosen from hydrogen, C1-5 alkyl, hydroxyC1-5 alkyl, C2-5 alkenyl, C2-5 alkynyl, carbocycle, ~~heterocycle, heteroaryl,~~ C1-5 alkoxy, C1-5 alkylthio, amino, C1-5 alkylamino, C1-5 dialkylamino, C1-5 acyl, C1-5 alkoxycarbonyl, C1-5 acyloxy, C1-5 acylamino, each of the aforementioned are optionally partially or fully halogenated, or R^a and R^b are chosen from C1-5 alkylsulphonylamino, hydroxy, oxo, halogen, nitro and nitrile, and

each X is independently O or S
or the pharmaceutically acceptable salts, acids, esters or isomers thereof.

Claim 2 (currently amended): The compound according to claim 1 wherein:

J is chosen from C1-10 alkyl, aryl or C3-7 cycloalkyl each optionally substituted by R^b;

R_2 is independently chosen from C1-6 alkyl which may optionally be partially or fully halogenated, acetyl, aroyl, C1-4 alkoxy, which may optionally be partially or fully halogenated, halogen, methoxycarbonyl, phenylsulfonyl and $-SO_2-CF_3$;

n is 1-4;

R^a and R^b are each independently chosen from hydrogen, C1-5 alkyl, C2-5 alkenyl, C2-5 alkynyl, C3-8 cycloalkylC0-2 alkyl, aryl, C1-5 alkoxy, C1-5 alkylthio, amino, C1-5

alkylamino, C1-5 dialkylamino, C1-5 acyl, C1-5 alkoxycarbonyl, C1-5 acyloxy, C1-5 acylamino, C1-5 sulphonylamino, hydroxy, halogen, trifluoromethyl, nitro and ; nitrile ~~or R^a and R^b are chosen from; heterocycle chosen from pyrrolidinyl, pyrrolinyl, morpholinyl, thiomorpholinyl, thiomorpholinyl sulfoxide, thiomorpholinyl sulfone, dioxalanyl, piperidinyl, piperazinyl, tetrahydrofuranyl, tetrahydropyranyl, tetrahydrofuranyl, 1,3 dioxolanone, 1,3 dioxanone, 1,4 dioxanyl, piperidinonyl, tetrahydropyrimidonyl, pentamethylene sulfide, pentamethylene sulfoxide, pentamethylene sulfone, tetramethylene sulfide, tetramethylene sulfoxide and tetramethylene sulfone~~

~~and heteroaryl chosen from aziridinyl, thienyl, furanyl, isoxazolyl, oxazolyl, thiazolyl, thiadiazolyl, tetrazolyl, pyrazolyl, pyrrolyl, imidazolyl, pyridinyl, pyrimidinyl, pyrazinyl, pyridazinyl, pyranyl, quinoxalinyl, indolyl, benzimidazolyl, benzoxazolyl, benzothiazolyl, benzothienyl, quinolinyl, quinazolinyl, naphthyridinyl, indazolyl, triazolyl, pyrazolo[3,4-b]pyrimidinyl, purinyl, pyrrolo[2,3-b]pyridinyl, pyrazolo[3,4-b]pyridinyl, tubercidinyl, oxazo[4,5-*b*]pyridinyl and imidazo[4,5-*b*]pyridinyl~~;

R_7 is hydrogen;

and each X is O.

Claim 3 (original): The compound according to claim 2 wherein

R_5 is chosen from -O-, -S-, -NH-, C(O), a linear chain chosen from $-NH(CR_7R_8)_n-$, $-(CR_7R_8)_n-$, $-O(CR_7R_8)_n-$, $-C(O)-O(CR_7R_8)_n-$, $-S(CR_7R_8)_n-$, $C(O)(CR_7R_8)_n-$ and $-C(O)NH(CR_7R_8)_n-$, wherein n is 1-3 and each of the aforementioned R_5 is further substituted by R^a.

Claim 4 (currently amended): The compound according to claim 3 wherein

Ar^1 is chosen from cyclopropyl, cyclobutyl, cyclopentyl, cyclohexyl and cycloheptyl, phenyl, naphthyl, tetrahydronaphthyl, indanyl and indenyl, ~~each Ar^1 is substituted with one R^1, and independently substituted with two R^2 groups;~~

R^1 is NO_2, NH_2, C1-3acylNH- or the formula:
$J\text{-}S(O)_m\text{-}N(R^c)$-;

J is C1-10 alkyl;

R_2 is independently chosen from C1-6 alkyl which may optionally be partially or fully halogenated and C1-3 alkoxy, which may optionally be partially or fully halogenated;

R_3 and R_4 are each independently chosen from hydrogen, C1-3 alkyl and chloro;

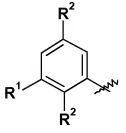
R_6 is chosen from hydrogen and amino;

R_5 is: -NH-, C(O), a linear chain chosen from $-NH(CR_7R_8)_n-$, $-(CR_7R_8)_n-$, $-O(CR_7R_8)_n-$, $-C(O)-O(CR_7R_8)_n-$, $C(O)(CR_7R_8)_n-$ and $-C(O)NH(CR_7R_8)_n-$ wherein n is 1-2 and each of the aforementioned R_5 is further substituted by R^a,

R^a and R^b are each independently chosen from hydrogen, C1-5 alkyl, C3-7 cycloalkylC0-2 alkyl, aryl, C1-5 alkoxy, amino, C1-5 alkylamino, C1-3 dialkylamino, C1-3 acyl, C1-5 alkoxycarbonyl, C1-3 acyloxy, C1-3 acylamino, C1-3 sulphonylamino, hydroxy, halogen, trifluoromethyl, nitro ~~;~~ and nitrile ~~;~~
~~or R^a is chosen from pyrrolidinyl, pyrrolinyl, morpholinyl, thiomorpholinyl, thiomorpholinyl sulfoxide, thiomorpholinyl sulfone, piperidinyl, piperazinyl, piperidinonyl, tetrahydropyrimidonyl, aziridinyl, isoxazolyl, oxazolyl, thiazolyl, thiadiazolyl, tetrazolyl, pyrazolyl, pyrrolyl, imidazolyl, pyridinyl, pyrimidinyl, pyrazinyl and pyridazinyl~~.

Claim 5 (currently amended): The compound according to claim 4 wherein

Ar^1 is



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R^1 is the formula:
J-S(O)$_2$-NH-;

J is C1-5 alkyl;

R_2 is independently chosen from C1-5 alkyl which may optionally be partially or fully halogenated and C1-2 alkoxy, which may optionally be partially or fully halogenated;

R_3 is hydrogen;

R_4 is chosen from hydrogen and methyl;

R_8 is chosen from hydrogen, methyl, ethyl, CH_2OH and CH_2OCH_3.

~~In yet another embodiment, there are provided compounds of the formula (I) as described immediately above and wherein~~
~~R_3 is hydrogen;~~

~~R_4 is methyl;~~

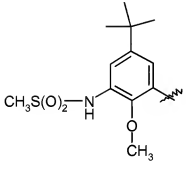
~~R^a is chosen from hydrogen, C1-5 alkyl, C3-6 cycloalkylC0-2 alkyl, phenyl, C1-5 alkoxy, amino, C1-5 alkylamino, C1-3 dialkylamino, C1-3 acyl, C1-5 alkoxycarbonyl, C1-3 acyloxy, C1-3 acylamino, hydroxy, halogen;~~
~~or R^a is chosen from morpholinyl, thiomorpholinyl, thiomorpholinyl sulfoxide, thiomorpholinyl sulfone, piperidinyl, piperidinonyl, pyridinyl, pyrimidinyl, pyrazinyl and pyridazinyl.~~

Claim 6 (currently amended): The compound according to claim 5 wherein

R^a is chosen from hydrogen, C1-5 alkyl, C3-6 cycloalkyl, phenyl, C1-5 alkoxy, C1-5 alkoxycarbonyl, C1-3 acyloxy, C1-3 acylamino, hydroxyl , and halogen ;
~~or R^a is chosen morpholinyl, piperidinyl and pyridinyl~~.

Claim 7 (currently amended): The compound according to claim 6 wherein

Ar^1 is



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R_5 is -NH(CR_7R_8)$_n$-R^a, wherein R^a is chosen from phenyl, ~~morpholinyl, piperidinyl, pyridinyl,~~ cyclopropyl, cyclohexyl, C1-5 alkyl and C1-3 alkoxy.

Claim 8 (currently amended): A compound chosen from

1-[5-(3-Methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-5-trifluoromethyl-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid methyl ester

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((R)-1-phenyl-ethyl)-amide

~~1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid (2-morpholin-4-yl-ethyl)-amide~~

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid benzylamide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid methyl ester

1-[3-(5-tert-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((R)-1-phenyl-ethyl)-amide

1-[3-(5-tert-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid benzylamide

1-[3-(5-tert-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid (2,2-dimethyl-propyl)-amide

~~1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2,3-dimethyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid (2-morpholin-4-yl-ethyl)-amide~~

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2,3-dimethyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid benzylamide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2,3-dimethyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid methyl ester

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-chloro-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((*R*)-1-phenyl-ethyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-chloro-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((*R*)-1-phenyl-propyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-chloro-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid (2,2-dimethyl-propyl)-amide

~~1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-chloro-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid (pyridin-3-ylmethyl)-amide~~

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-chloro-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid ethyl ester

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-chloro-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid methyl ester

1-[5-(5-tert-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-fluoro-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid benzylamide

1-[5-(5-tert-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-fluoro-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid (2,2-dimethyl-propyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-tert-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-3-fluoro-2-methyl-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid (2,2-dimethyl-propyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((R)-1,2,2-trimethyl-propyl)-amide

~~1-[5-(5-tert-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid (1-pyridin-3-yl-ethyl)-amide~~

1-{5-[3-Methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-5-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-trifluoromethyl-ethyl)-phenylcarbamoyl]-2-methyl-phenyl}-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((R)-1-phenyl-ethyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((R)-1-cyclohexyl-ethyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((*R*)-1-phenyl-propyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((*S*)-1,2,2-trimethyl-propyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((*S*)-1-cyclohexyl-ethyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((S)-1-phenyl-ethyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((*S*)-2-dimethylamino-1-phenyl-ethyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-tert-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((R)-3-dimethylamino-1-phenyl-propyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((S)-2-methoxy-1-phenyl-ethyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid (1-methyl-1-phenyl-ethyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid (2,2-dimethyl-propyl)-amide

1-[5-(3-Amino-5-tert-butyl-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid (2,2-dimethyl-propyl)-amide

1-{5-[3-Methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-5-(1-methyl-cyclopropyl)-phenylcarbamoyl]-2-methyl-phenyl}-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid (2,2-dimethyl-propyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid (2-dimethylamino-ethyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid (2-hydroxy-2-methyl-propyl)-amide

~~1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid (2-morpholin-4-yl-ethyl)-amide~~

~~1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid (2-piperidin-1-yl-ethyl)-amide~~

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid (3-dimethylamino-2,2-dimethyl-propyl)-amide

~~1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid (piperidin-4-ylmethyl)-amide~~

~~1-[5-(5-tert-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid (1-methyl-piperidin-4-ylmethyl)-amide~~

~~1-[5-(5-tert-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((S)-1-ethyl-pyrrolidin-2-ylmethyl)-amide~~

~~1-[5-(5-tert-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((R)-1-ethyl-pyrrolidin-2-ylmethyl)-amide~~

~~1-[5-(5-tert-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid (1-methyl-piperidin-3-ylmethyl)-amide~~

1-[5-(5-tert-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid (2-dimethylamino-2-methyl-propyl)-amide

~~1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid (pyridin-3-ylmethyl)-amide~~

~~1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid (pyridin-4-ylmethyl)-amide~~

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid 3-methyl-benzylamide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid benzylamide

1-[5-(5-tert-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid phenylamide

1-[5-(5-tert-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid p-tolylamide

1-[5-(5-tert-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid m-tolylamide

1-[5-(5-tert-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid o-tolylamide

~~1-[5-(5-tert-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid pyridin-4-ylamide~~

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid benzyl-methyl-amide

1-[5-(5-tert-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((S)-2-dimethylamino-1-phenyl-ethyl)-methyl-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid cyclohexylmethyl-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid cyclopentylamide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid cyclopentylmethyl-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid cyclopropylamide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid cyclopropylmethyl-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid ethyl ester

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid methyl ester

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid methylamide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid *tert*-butylamide

1-{5-[3-Methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-5-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-trifluoromethyl-ethyl)-phenylcarbamoyl]-2-methyl-phenyl}-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid ethyl ester

3-(4-Benzoyl-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)-*N*-(5-*tert*-butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenyl)-4-methyl-benzamide

3-{1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carbonyl}-benzoic acid methyl ester

~~4-[({1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carbonyl}-amino)-methyl]-piperidine-1-carboxylic acid *tert*-butyl ester~~

~~3-[({1-[5-(5-tert-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carbonyl}-amino)-methyl]-piperidine-1-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester~~

~~5-Amino-1-[5-(5-*tert*-butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid (pyridin-3-ylmethyl)-amide~~

5-Amino-1-[5-(5-*tert*-butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((*R*)-1-phenyl-ethyl)-amide

5-Amino-1-[5-(5-*tert*-butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid (2,2-dimethyl-propyl)-amide

5-Amino-1-[5-(5-tert-butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((S)-1,2,2-trimethyl-propyl)-amide

5-Amino-1-[5-(5-tert-butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid (3-dimethylamino-2,2-dimethyl-propyl)-amide

5-Amino-1-[5-(5-*tert*-butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid methyl ester

N-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenyl)-3-(4-cyclohexanecarbonyl-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)-4-methyl-benzamide

N-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenyl)-3-[4-((S)-3-hydroxy-2-phenyl-propionyl)-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl]-4-methyl-benzamide

N-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenyl)-3-[4-(2,6-dichloro-benzoyl)-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl]-4-methyl-benzamide

N-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenyl)-3-[4-(2,6-dimethyl-benzoyl)-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl]-4-methyl-benzamide

N-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenyl)-4-methyl-3-[4-((R)-2-phenyl-propionyl)-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl]-benzamide and

N-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenyl)-4-methyl-3-[4-(2-methyl-benzoyl)-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl]-benzamide ~~and~~

~~*N*-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenyl)-4-methyl-3-[4-(morpholine-4-carbonyl)-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl]-benzamide~~

or the pharmaceutically acceptable salts, acids, esters or isomers thereof.

Claim 9 (currently amended): A compound chosen from

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((R)-1-phenyl-ethyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-chloro-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((*R*)-1-phenyl-ethyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-chloro-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((*R*)-1-phenyl-propyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((R)-1,2,2-trimethyl-propyl)-amide

1-[5-(3-Amino-5-tert-butyl-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid (2,2-dimethyl-propyl)-amide

1-{5-[3-Methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-5-(1-methyl-cyclopropyl)-phenylcarbamoyl]-2-methyl-phenyl}-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid (2,2-dimethyl-propyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((R)-1-cyclohexyl-ethyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((*R*)-1-phenyl-propyl)-amide

~~1-[5-(5-tert-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid (1-pyridin-3-yl-ethyl)-amide~~

1-{5-[3-Methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-5-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-trifluoromethyl-ethyl)-phenylcarbamoyl]-2-methyl-phenyl}-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((R)-1-phenyl-ethyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((S)-2-methoxy-1-phenyl-ethyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid (2-hydroxy-2-methyl-propyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid (3-dimethylamino-2,2-dimethyl-propyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid cyclohexylmethyl-amide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid cyclopentylamide

1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid cyclopentylmethyl-amide

~~5-Amino-1-[5-(5-*tert*-butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid (pyridin-3-ylmethyl)-amide~~

5-Amino-1-[5-(5-*tert*-butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((*R*)-1-phenyl-ethyl)-amide

5-Amino-1-[5-(5-*tert*-butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid (2,2-dimethyl-propyl)-amide

5-Amino-1-[5-(5-*tert*-butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((S)-1,2,2-trimethyl-propyl)-amide

5-Amino-1-[5-(5-tert-butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid (3-dimethylamino-2,2-dimethyl-propyl)-amide

1-[5-(5-tert-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazole-4-carboxylic acid o-tolylamide

N-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenyl)-3-(4-cyclohexanecarbonyl-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)-4-methyl-benzamide

N-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenyl)-3-[4-((S)-3-hydroxy-2-phenyl-propionyl)-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl]-4-methyl-benzamide

N-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenyl)-4-methyl-3-[4-((R)-2-phenyl-propionyl)-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl]-benzamide and

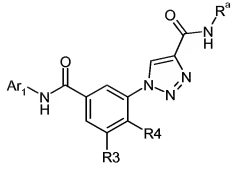
1-[5-(5-*tert*-Butyl-3-methanesulfonylamino-2-methoxy-phenylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-1*H*-1,2,3-triazole-4-carboxylic acid ((*S*)-2-dimethylamino-1-phenyl-ethyl)-amide

or the pharmaceutically acceptable salts, acids, esters or isomers thereof.

Claim 10 (withdrawn): A method of treating a disease or condition chosen from: osteoarthritis, atherosclerosis, contact dermatitis, bone resorption diseases, reperfusion injury, asthma, multiple sclerosis, Guillain-Barre syndrome, Crohn's disease, ulcerative colitis, psoriasis, graft versus host disease, systemic lupus erythematosus and insulin-dependent diabetes mellitus, rheumatoid arthritis, toxic shock syndrome, Alzheimer's disease, diabetes, inflammatory bowel diseases, acute and chronic pain, stroke, myocardial infarction, alone or following thrombolytic therapy, thermal injury, adult respiratory distress syndrome (ARDS), multiple organ injury secondary to trauma, acute glomerulonephritis, dermatoses with acute inflammatory components, acute purulent meningitis, syndromes associated with hemodialysis, leukopherisis, granulocyte transfusion associated syndromes, necrotizing entrerocolitis, complications including restenosis following percutaneous transluminal coronary angioplasty, traumatic arthritis, sepsis, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease and congestive heart failure said method comprising administering to a patient a pharmaceutically effective amount of a compound according to claim 1.

Claim 11 (withdrawn): A method of treating an oncological disease said method comprising administering to a patient a pharmaceutically effective amount of a compound according to claim 1.

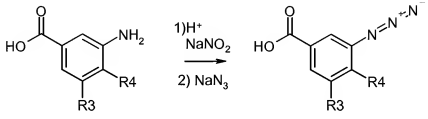
Claim 12 (withdrawn): A process of making a compound of the formula:



I (R_5 = -NHR^a)

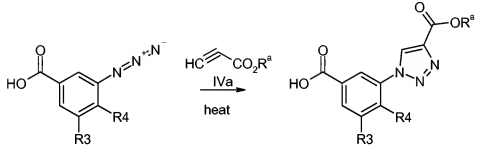
wherein Ar_1, R3, R4 and R^a are as defined in claim 1 and R_5 is -NHR^a;
said process comprising:

reacting a 3-aminobenzoic acid (II) with $NaNO_2$ in an aqueous acid at about 0 °C;
reacting the formed diazonium salt *in situ* with a cold aqueous solution of NaN_3 at about 0 °C to provide the azide III:



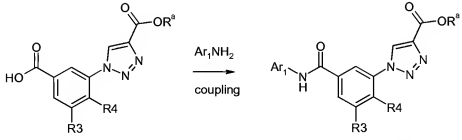
II III ;

reacting the azide III with an alkyne ester IVa in a suitable solvent at about 100 °C to 120 °C, or with a copper catalyst to provide triazole Va and its regioisomer:



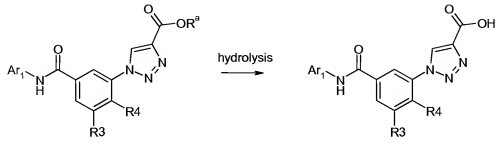
III Va ;

coupling under suitable conditions the intermediate Va and Ar_1NH_2 intermediate to produce the ester of formula I (R_5 is –OR^a):



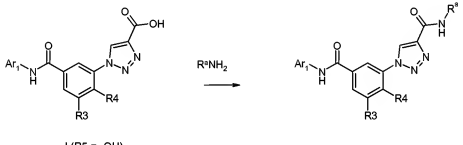
Va I (R_5 = -OR^a) ;

hydrolyzing the ester of formula I with aqueous base in a suitable solvent to provide the carboxylic acid of formula I (R_5 = -OH):



I (R_5 = -OR^a) I (R_5 = -OH) ;

coupling the carboxylic acid of formula I with amine R^aNH_2 under suitable coupling conditions to provide the product compound of formula I (R_5 = -NHR^a):



I (R5 = -OH) I (R5 = -NHRa) .

Claim 13 (original): A pharmaceutical composition containing a pharmaceutically effective amount of a compound according to claim 1 and one or more pharmaceutically acceptable carriers and/or adjuvants.

Claim 14 (New): The compound according to claim 5 and wherein:
R^4 is methyl;

R^a is chosen from hydrogen, C1-5 alkyl, C3-6 cycloalkylC0-2 alkyl, phenyl, C1-5 alkoxy, amino, C1-5 alkylamino, C1-3 dialkylamino, C1-3 acyl, C1-5 alkoxycarbonyl, C1-3 acyloxy, C1-3 acylamino, hydroxyl and halogen.